# Mike O'Dowd Regains "Commission" Middleweight Title When Rosenberg Fouls in Eighth

### 'Championship' Changes Hands After Warnings in Weird Bout

St. Paul Victor, Apparently Decrepit, Forces Action Against Maimed Antagonist, but Seems on Verge of Collapse When Referee Haley Awards Foul

By Jack Lawrence

Mike O'Dowd, of St. Paul, is the new welterweight title holder by grace of the State Athletic Commission edict and a victory over its acclaimed champion, Dave Rosenberg, yesterday afternoon at the Rink Sporting Club, of Brooklyn. In the eighth round, after two previous warnings, Rosenberg again delivered a low blow, and was disqualified for fouling by Referee Patsey Haley.

It was in this same ring that O'Dowd won the welterweight title by a knockeut over Al McCoy in the fifth round, November 14, 1917. O'Dowd subsequently was relieved of his title when he lost a decision to Johnny Wilwhen he lost a decision to Johnny Wil

round, November 14, 1917. O'Dowd subsequently was relieved of his title when he lost a decision to Johnny Wilson, whose title in turn was recently declared vacated by the local boxing commission and Rosenberg named as his successor on the strength of a victory over Phil Krug.

As a result of what happened in the Rink arean yesterday the welterweight situation is by no means improved. Rosenberg, never a satisfying performer at his best, was further handicaped by a bad left hand, which he claimed to have fractured and which was plainly useless as a means of offense. O'Dowd entered the ring looking as if he would not be abla to go five rounds. His face showed more years than his actual age, and he seemed stiff in the knees as he climbed through the ropes.

Mike Shows Whirlwind Start Plainly O'Dowd was far from right, but whatever was wrong with him physically there was nothing the mater with his heart. With the clang of the bell Mike dashed in and met Rosenberg's rush and surprised the speciators by forcing the Jewish boy about the ring and whaling at his body and incad with both hands while Dave kept his arms folded in defense. Little damage was done in this session, but the old chrupton was clearly entitled on any apparent honors in the opener. O'Dowd continued his aggressive work in the second and while he seemed unable to bend his knees and moved after his man in stiff-legged fashion, he had Rosenberg on the runment of the way and did most of the serving, though Dave occasionally lashed out with a right uppercut that disped Mike on the jaw and jarred him back but did not stop him from lessing in.

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Mike O'Dowd New Record in

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eliminate Ralph De Palma from the race next Sunday. He recently was arrested for speeding, and may be serving his ten-day jail sentence when the race is started.

Havana Entries

First race (purse, \$700; maidens; two-year-olds; five furlongs)—Miss Mazie, 115; Dinah Dean, 115; Billy Bern, 115; Brandee, 115; Sunday, 115; Sund

#### New Orleans Entries

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By W. J. Macbeth

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John Paul Jones and Emotion also ran. When the start was made Blares and Maximae went right to the front and made the running down the bear's stretch. Blares led, with Maximac second and Lucky Hour third.

On the turn Maximae made his run, going into the lead and came on to a handy victory, a length and a holf in front of Hephalston, which cleased stoutly in the stretch run. Bockminster, which came from behind, finishing to less than 440 of the best of the division map time to the lead and came on the best of the best of the best of the division map time to the lead and the strength of the leads and the strength of the strength of the strength of the leads and the strength of The effete East will not long have to depend on Churchill Downs,

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Seventh race (for three-year-olds upward; claiming; purse, \$1,480; one rand an eighth;—Rouen, 190 (Jolly), \$2,400 and \$1,50 and \$3, second; (Gockmender, \$8,56hlines, \$1,70, this, Purl. Tribuna, La Krosa, Dolly Eternity, Austral Lucky Kaite, J. Mor Toodka and Dr. C. Wales also ran.

#### **Dundee Outpoints Hart** In Bout at Quaker City

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 36.—Johnn. Dundee, world junior lightweight cham pion, decisively outpointed Alex Hart protege of Featherweight Champior Johnny Kilbane, in the feature eight round bout at the Ice Palace this after according to the control of t round bout at the Ice Paiace this afternoon. Dundee led in practically every
round and forced Hart to the ropes to
avoid punishment in the final session.

Hart assumed the offensive at the
outset and tried to swap punches, but
Dundee's speed and clever blocking, together with his sharp hitting and ring
generaiship, proved too great a handicap to overcome. Hart was willing,
but the eminent Scotch wop was entirely too fast for him.

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